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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Dear Sir:

This amendment is being filed in response to the nonfinal Office action dated June 12, 2008. Please amend the claims as follows. It is believed that no fees are associated with the filing and consideration of this amendment. If, however, the **Commissioner decides that any fee or fee deficiency is due, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any and all fees incurred as a result of entering this response to deposit account number 03-0172, order number 11694.04304.**